



# Virginia Green Events



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## Symphony Under the Stars with the Virginia Symphony Orchestra Chesapeake, VA

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**Virginia Green** is the Commonwealth of Virginia's campaign to promote environmentally-friendly practices in all aspects of Virginia's tourism industry. **Virginia Green** has established "core activities" specific to each sector of tourism, and these practices are considered the required minimum for participation in the program. However, **Virginia Green** encourages its participants to reduce their environmental impacts in all aspects of their operations, and this profile provides a full list of all their "green" activities. These are the activities that guests / customers can expect to find when they visit this facility.

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Chesapeake Parks, Recreation and Tourism Special Events division is making a big effort to educate our citizens about our efforts to reduce our environmental impacts.

### Virginia Green Activities

#### **This facility pledges that they:**

##### **Recycle.**

- Have in place clearly marked recycling locations and/or containers. Please check the items that visitors to your facility are able to recycle: (*minimum of 2 required*)
- Glass bottles
- Aluminum cans
- Plastic bottles
- Paper
- Cardboard

### **Minimize the use of disposable food service products.**

- Use disposable food service items that are recyclable in your area

### **Printed Materials.**

- Use electronic registration, correspondence, and forms instead of paper forms
- Print all documents double-sided

### **Waste Reduction.**

- Track overall solid waste costs (*required for Virginia Green*)
- Encourage the use of mass-transit and/or carpooling to the event
- Provide for recycling of boxes and other set-up wastes

### **Green Signage.**

- Have a link on our website to the Virginia Green Events webpage
- Have signs at the event registration which list all of our green activities
- Use the Virginia Green logo on signs and on recycling containers

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For more information on **Symphony Under the Stars with the Virginia Symphony Orchestra**, see [www.virginia.org/listings/Events/SymphonyUndertheStarswiththeVirginiaSymphonyOrchestra/](http://www.virginia.org/listings/Events/SymphonyUndertheStarswiththeVirginiaSymphonyOrchestra/) or contact Allyson Kelly at [akelly@cityofchesapeake.net](mailto:akelly@cityofchesapeake.net) or 757-382-6411.

For more information on the Virginia Green program, see [www.deq.state.va.us/Programs/PollutionPrevention/VirginiaGreen.aspx](http://www.deq.state.va.us/Programs/PollutionPrevention/VirginiaGreen.aspx).



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